HELANE L. MORRISON (State Bar No. 127752) SUSAN F. LaMARCA (State Bar No. 215231) lamarcas@sec.gov 2 VICTOR W. HONG (State Bar No. 165938) hongv@sec.gov 3 Attorneys for Plaintiff 4 SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION 44 Montgomery Street, Suite 2600 San Francisco, California 94104 Telephone: (415) 705-2500 6 Facsimile: (415) 705-2501 7 8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 9 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 10 SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION 11 12 SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION. 13 Plaintiff, <del>PROPOSEDI</del> ORDER APPROVING **DISTRIBUTION PLAN** 14 vs. 15 HONG LU and CHI-LIN TOM, 16 Defendants. 17 18 19 20 21 Plaintiff Securities and Exchange Commission ("Plaintiff" or "Commission") Motion for 22 Approval of Distribution Plan came before this Court. The Commission seeks by its Motion an 23 order: (1) approving the plan proposed by the Commission to distribute approximately \$360,000 24 currently in an account in the Court Registry Investment System ("CRIS") disgorged by the

defendants in this case; and (2) directing the Clerk to transfer the funds in the CRIS account to Goldman Sachs Execution & Clearing, L.P., as the successor to Spear Leeds & Kellogg, L.P.,

The Court, having considered the Commission's Motion, finds the Commission's 28 proposed plan for distribution fair and reasonable. Therefore:

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IT IS ORDERED that Plaintiff's plan for distributing the funds is hereby approved and 1 authorized. 2 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the funds currently held in the CRIS account, totaling 3 \$359,864.08 as of August 11, 2005, including the funds originally deposited as a payment by the 4 defendant in this case and the income earned on those funds as interest (less allowable fees 5 deducted by the Court), be distributed to Goldman Sachs Execution & Clearing, L.P., as the 6 successor to Spear Leeds & Kellogg, L.P., as the investor identified as having been harmed by 7 the defendants' conduct. The Clerk of the Court is directed, without further order of this Court, 8 to deduct from the income earned on the investment from August 11, 2005 to the present a fee, not exceeding that authorized by the Judicial Conference of the United States and set by the 10 Director of the Administrative Office of the United States Courts. 11 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court is hereby directed to transfer the 12 above-described funds in the CRIS account, including the principal plus income earned (less any 13 fee deducted), by wire transfer or by other, similar means, directly to Goldman Sachs Execution 14 & Clearing, L.P. (as the successor to Spear Leeds & Kellogg, L.P.). 15 16 IT IS SO ORDERED. 17 18 19 DEC 9 3 2405 20 Dated: United States District Judge 21 22 23 24 25 26 27

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